MASSES THIS WEEKEND IN RATHDOWNEY PARISH

Saturday 17th August

Rathdowney 6pm Vincent & Mary Cleere, Harristown

and all deceased members of the Cleere family

John Feeley, Quigley Park Maura Daly, Bealady

SUNDAY 18th August

Errill 10 am: Theresa Nolan, Cuan Bhríde Agnes Delaney, Graigueavalla

John Bowe, Newtownperry

Masses During the Week

Monday - Rathdowney
Tuesday - Friday:
Mass

No Mass Mass at 10am

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY 24th August

Rathdowney 6pm: Paddy Fitzpatrick O'Daly Terrace Months Mind

Peter Curry, Carrick Cross, 1st Anniversary Teresa Gilman, Newtownperry 1st Anniversary

James Kilcare, Ossory Terrace

Sunday 25th August

Errill 10 am: John Broderick, Knockiel

Recent Deaths: Eamon Dowling, Clonmore, Errill

Joseph (Joe) Ellis, Clonmeen, Errill

Anniversaries:

Marian Dooley, Erkina House; Martin Tynan, Quigly Park & Ballacolla; Patrick Fitzpatrick, Ballycoolid, Martha Ryan, Rathsaran, Frances Philips, Clonmel.

Collections Weekend 10th / 11th August 2024

Loose Plate - €496 Envelopes - € 600

Adoration

Adoration will resume in September

Rosary will continue each evening - Monday to Friday at 5.30pm on the Webcam

Anam Cara

Anam Cara are holding an **ONLINE Bereavement Information Evening** on Tuesday 3rd of September at 7pm. Our guest speaker for this month's talk is Bryan Nolan. Bryan has an M.A. Healthcare Chaplaincy DCU, Certified Healthcare Chaplain, End of Life and Grief and loss specialist, Training and facilitation expert.

Contact Numbers: Office 01 4045378 Information Line 085 2888 888 or if call from Northern Ireland 028 95213120 Web Address www.anamcara.ie

SAFEGUARDING

Designated Liaison Person - Ailish Higgins - 085 802 1633 safeguarding@ossory.ie

Gardaí 1800 555 222 / TUSLA – Laois/Offaly 044 935 3997 Towards Healing Helpline: 1800 313 416 / www.towardshealing.ie Towards Peace Helpline: 01-505 3028 /www.towardspeace.ie

Parish Representatives

Rathdowney - John Casey & Helen Campion Durrow - Michael Killeen & Sarah Brophy

Newsletter for the Parishes of Durrow and Rathdowney 17th / 18th August 2024 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

<u>Grásta</u>

Preparing for Marriage? Weekend residential course available 20-22 September 2024.
Details: www.grasta.org or at info@grasta.org

Errill GAA Lotto Results

Winning Numbers 5 - 19 - 23 -28

No Jackpot Winner

3 Match 3's €35

Eddie Dowling, Errill;

Bernie Hetherington, Rathdowney;

T.T. Hooban, Castletown.

Next weeks jackpot €3,950

Rathdowney GAA Lotto Results

No results to hand

Culture Night in Rathdowney 2024

Join us for drumming and visual art workshops, during Aug – Sept, in preparation for a joyful Culture Night event on 20 Sept 2024. The Arts Office, Laois Co. Council and Music Generation Laois welcome individuals

and groups of all ages to take part. For Info: www.laois.ie /

E: arts@laoiscoco.ie / T: 057 866 4033

Apologies

We apologise for any confusion over the Mass schedule in Durrow last week for the Holy Day We will try in future to publish Holy Day Mass times well in advance

Mountmellick Embroidery

The Annual Mountmellick Embroidery Crafternoon Tea takes place on the 21st of August from 12 noon to 4 pm in the Mountmellick Development Assoc. building R32 A0PK. This year we will feature several different crafts by some of our local crafters.

The Museum open day for Heritage Week is on Friday the 23rd of August with tours of the Museum from 10 am to 4 pm. Both days are free to attend, with plenty of free parking spaces.

<u>Pastoral Council Members</u>

Rathdowney

Assumpta Casey; Helen Campion; Tony Holohan; Fran Doyle; Maureen Guilfoyle; Oliver Kennedy; Mary Nolan; Mary O'Dea; Tadhg Keane; Sr Anita O'Leary; Fr. Martin Delaney

Durrow

Martin Lawlor; Mary Lawlor; James Walsh; Carmel Ruane; Mary Ryan; Vicky Murphy;

Margaret Murphy; Seamus Clancy; Sr. Anita O'Leary; Fr. Martin Delaney

Relics of Saint Bernadette of Lourdes

The Diocese of Ossory will host a visit of the Relics of Saint Bernadette of Lourdes on the weekend of Saturday and Sunday

21st/22nd September 2024 in St. Mary's Cathedral, Kilkenny.

This is an initiative to bring a small piece of Lourdes to Ireland and make it possible for more people to experience something of what is close to the hearts of those who travel on our diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes each year.

<u>Parish Office Summer Opening Hours</u> Rathdowney

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday
9.30am to 1pm
Durrow
Wednesday & Friday
10 am to 1 pm

Funeral Masses on our Website

In order to comply with GDPR regulations, recordings of funeral masses will be available on our website for one month only.

All previous funeral masses have been removed.

Copies of past funerals are available to family members on request.

Contact the Parish Office re same.

Cemetery Mass Schedule

Sun 1st September Durrow Cemetery 11.15 am

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SATURDAY 17th August

Cullohill 7.30 pm: Patrick & Ellen Spencer, Rapla Durrow 7.30 pm:

Sunday 18th August

Durrow 11.15 am: Joe & Vera Murphy, Dereen

Jimmy & Eddie Moore, Ballinaslee

Durrow

Monday - Friday: 8.50am Saturday: 11am

MASSES NEXT WEEKEND

SATURDAY 24th August

Cullohill 7.30 pm: Durrow 7.30 pm:

Sunday 25th August

Durrow 11.15 am: Paddy Jordan, Tinweir

Recent Death:

Anniversaries:

Collections Weekend 10th / 11th August 2024

Loose Plate - € 289 Envelopes - € 1,009

Adoration

Adoration in Cullohill Church every Thursday morning from 8.50—9.50am, in Durrow directly after 8.50 am Mass (finishes at 11.30 am) on Mondays and on Fridays from 7-8pm.

If you wish to have the name of your deceased family member included in our weekly newsletter, please contact the parish office in person / by email durrow@ossory.ie / rathdowney@ossory.ie or phone

(Durrow) 085 26 25 033 /(Rathdowney) 0505 46282 by midday on Thursday.

We welcome into Durrow Parish Community

Alex Clooney & Saoirse Dillon

who are being baptised this weekend



Towards Healing

A confidential and free counselling service, Phone 1800 303

416. They provide face to face counselling, structured phone counselling, family counselling and a counselling helpline for people who have experienced institutional, clerical or religious abuse in Ireland.